

LINDSEY IS SEVERE DURING POLICE TRIALS

Deputy Commissioner Hands Out Decisions at Trials of Policemen.

"NO MORE GUN PLAY."

No Orders, Then Commends Patrolman Who Sent Bullets After Fugitives.

BERATES CAPTAIN SHAW.

Point Commander Gets His for Being Five Minutes Late—Covering Three Posts Brings Fine.

Deputy Police Commissioner Lindsey, in an especially severe mood today when he looked over a list of 101 cases before him, the Deputy Commissioner began operations for the day by publicly reprimanding Capt. Shaw, of the Madison Street Station, for being five minutes late in appearing at the trial room, and covered this up with some weird judgments.

"We find one policeman four and a half days' pay for drawing a revolver when he was attacked by a mob which was trying to prevent him making an arrest, and followed this up by publicly commending another policeman who fired a shot at a fleeing pair of burglars, and telling him he wished he had the power to place him on the roll of honor. Then he fined another policeman ten days' pay because there was a robbery on his beat."

As soon as Mr. Lindsey took his seat in the court-room Deputy Commissioner McAvoy, with whom he had a row during the trial of Capt. Tighe yesterday, came in and shook hands with him. Then came up a case against a policeman in which Capt. Shaw was the complainant. It was set for 10 o'clock. Capt. Shaw arrived at 10:05 o'clock. He was instantly summoned to the bench.

Berates Capt. Shaw.

"What do you mean by coming here late like this?" asked Lindsey. "I am five minutes behind time," answered the captain, "but I had to walk over from the Madison street station. The cars were not running."

"That's no excuse," said Lindsey. "I want you to understand that you cannot come here late any more than any policeman can."

Capt. Shaw, who is one of Commissioner McAvoy's favorite captains, and is a man with considerable dignity, flushed up at the humiliation. Lindsey kept on berating him like a schoolmaster and the room full of policemen listened.

A little later Capt. Stephenson appeared as complainant against Policemen Otto Hansen and John W. Smith. He was charged with having fired his pistol while on duty. It was explained that he was making an arrest when a crowd attacked him, and he pulled the gun. He fired one shot in the air, hitting no one.

"Don't want you to understand that this shooting has got to stop," said the Deputy Police Commissioner angrily. "Why didn't you use your club on these fellows?"

"I was an excitable man and I was in a bad temper," said Capt. Shaw. "I took a club next time," said Lindsey. "Don't use your revolver like a club. It is a poor thing to do anything with, anyway. If you can't handle a crowd with your fists, why don't you go out on such work?"

"I will not have policemen firing their pistols and that's all there is about it. I see you four and a half days' pay."

Ryan Wasn't Dead.

Next came the case of Policemen Henry of the Mercer Street Station. Henry pursued two burglars. They wouldn't stop, so he fired several shots. They stopped. Henry was arrested. He was charged with firing his pistol in his shoes over what was coming to him, but Lindsey only grinned and said:

"When and where did Ryan die?"

"Sure, and I'm not dead, sir," spoke up a big fat policeman. It was Ryan. The matter was explained as an incident, and the Deputy Commissioner read a long lecture on the pernicious habit of accidentally firing a pistol.

This Cop in Hard Luck.

Policeman Patrick Keller, of the Bridge Street Station, was the man who had been allowed a robbery on his beat. He said he was covering three posts, and he was one of three who were covering three posts each. Keller also said he had 700 dollars to try.

"Ten days' pay," said the Deputy Commissioner. "No man ought to have to cover three posts at a time."

Escapes of College Bride.

Mal Marcus Wants Divorce from Daughter of Brooklyn Divine.

(Special to The Evening World.)

HUNTINGTON, W. Va., Feb. 9.—P. Mal Marcus fled yesterday for divorce against Malinda Briggs Marcus, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Winans, of Brooklyn. Marcus alleges that their honeymoon was scarcely over before he discovered that his wife's love was really on the wane, and that he tried every means possible to hold her New York. Her frequent visits to New York, the home of her parents, caused him to become suspicious.

The declaration alleges that she was wont to take trips covering many days, and that on one occasion she took a cruise on the Atlantic with Arthur Weibel for five days, accompanied only by one other young man and woman, both of whom were unknown to him, and that the party was without an es-

"NO ME," SAYS "JIMMY" HOPE

Aged Bank Burglar Declares He Knows Nothing About \$10,000 Bond Stolen 26 Years Ago and Just Now Recovered.

"Jimmy" Hope, the retired bank burglar, today declared himself out of the attempt of Dr. Lewis O. Wilcox, of the Waldorf-Astoria, and others to secure a loan of \$5,000 on one of the thirty \$10,000 United States bonds stolen from the Manhattan Savings Institution twenty-six years ago.

His declaration was made at the trial of the Miller case, whose name as payee for the bond and who passed it to Dr. Wilcox in what the latter says he thought was the regular course of a business transaction.

The retired bank burglar is living with his son, John, who served a term for the Manhattan robbery. Their home is at No. 693 Columbus avenue. "Jimmy" Hope, at the age of sixty-eight, is bright and vigorous. He has a gray beard and mustache and a fringe of white hair around the top of a bald head, upon which he wears a black skull cap.

"I don't know this Dr. Wilcox," never said in my life," he declared today. "Of course I'm not this Samuel Warner Miller. If the police think I am they can find me here at any time, and convince themselves they are mistaken."

Chief Flynn, of the Secret Service, said today he had hopes of recovering the other twenty-nine missing bonds, and also of capturing the elusive Miller, who has not been seen since the arrest of Dr. Wilcox.

Flynn's men have been unable as yet to find Hope, although they had a line on his son. They are looking for Dan Noble, who was also accused of being implicated in the Manhattan robbery.

Mr. Wilcox remains in the Tombs because he cannot furnish \$10,000 bail. He continues to protest he is a victim of circumstances and believed the bond he got from Miller was all right. An evidence of his innocence he points out that he went with Miller to President Meyer, of the National Shoe and Leather Bank, and introduced him for the purpose of having the bond properly certified.

Grout to Retire.

The Comptroller Will Quit Politics When Term Expires.

"I am not being groomed for the Mayor's office," said any other elective official," said Comptroller Grout today in denying the published statement that Senator McCarren intended to oppose the re-nomination of Mayor McEllan by bringing the Comptroller into the city hall.

"When my present term expires," added the Comptroller, "I shall retire to private practice. I have long promised my family that I would under no circumstances accept a nomination again and the expiration of my term will see me a private citizen."

Dodge Divorce Indictments.

Lawyers William A. Sweetser and the Late M. A. Ruger Completely Vindicated by Later Events.

The argument on the motion of counsel for ex-Supreme Court Justice Furman, A. H. Hummel and Benjamin Steinhardt, indicted for conspiracy in connection with the Dodge-Morse divorce scandal, to inspect the minutes of the Grand Jury was adjourned to today until Tuesday next.

The argument will be heard by Justice Kenefick in the criminal branch of the Supreme Court. It is claimed by counsel for the defendants that insufficient and illegal evidence was admitted before the Grand Jury. If an inspection of the minutes of the Grand Jury is allowed by Justice Kenefick application will then be made for a dismissal of the indictments against the three defendants.

One unfortunate incident of the Dodge-Morse tangle has been the great injustice done to the memory of the late Mortimer B. Ruger and to William A. Sweetser, an upright and honorable lawyer.

Ruger was the attorney for Mrs. Dodge in the action of divorce brought by her against her first husband, Charles F. Dodge, and the summons in that action was served on Dodge by Mr. Sweetser.

When Dodge after the lapse of years turned up and claiming that he had never been served in the divorce action, sought to have the charge so made by Dodge set aside, the charge of fraud and malice against Ruger and Sweetser, and the order of ex-Judge Hall as referee sustaining Dodge's contention left them both on an unenviable position, and the Supreme Court, before all the facts had come out, held to that view.

Now that Dodge stands the confessed and polished tool of a band of conspirators, it becomes for the first time plain that the District Attorney, in unmaking this conspiracy, has also shown how unjust were the accusations made against both Sweetser and Ruger, and that no one in the community bears a better reputation or stands higher in the estimation of the law than William A. Sweetser, and that the memory of the dead Ruger has been cleared of stain.

Reception to Mr. Mackay.

Man with Remarkable Gift Will Entertain, Aided by Others.

An entertainment and reception is to be tendered J. Wallace Mackay by the Elks Club at the Johnson Building, Music Hall, Pittsburgh avenue and New York street, Brooklyn, this evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Mackay is well known for his remarkable gift, inasmuch as he can imitate, with his voice, the tones of a violin and cello. He also does ventriloquism. He will be assisted by Miss Agnes Sumner Greer, Miss Jeannette MacCarroll, The Nette Sisters, Messrs. Dan Quinn, Joe Linder, Tom Haydon (the blind actor), Joe McKenna, Fred Dunworth, Frank Fogarty, at Kelly, Smith and Baker, L. M. M. Thompson, Davis, Carl Tolson and Tom Brown.

Redmond, Who Died in Alcohol, Ward at Bellevue, Had Saved More Than Salary.

His wealth conservatively estimated at \$30,000, accumulated in the eighteen years he had been a policeman, Robert J. Redmond, connected with the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth street station, died early today in the alcoholic ward at Bellevue Hospital.

"My husband was a laborer when he joined the force in 1887," said Mrs. Redmond, "and had then saved \$2,000 out of his earnings. He was a very thrifty man and saved every possible penny."

Redmond as a patrolman earned \$1,400 a year. His widow and two children live at No. 10 West One Hundred and Nineteenth street.

Gold Certificates to Cuba.

It was announced today that on Saturday next the National Bank of Commerce will ship \$3,000,000 in gold certificates to Cuba.

MANHATTAN AT HIGH RECORD

Other Traction Also in Demand at Good Gains but the Stock Market Closes With Losses General.

As the stock market session advanced today prices gradually sagged off and trading diminished considerably, the close showing the list fractionally lower. Professionals lost in early dealings, which were brisk, with prices higher.

The Traction was about the only feature to the market, they advanced from 5-8 to almost a sea-saw close, following a higher start. Manhattan Railway was the conspicuous issue of the group, establishing a new high record of 107 1/2.

This is the highest price in fifteen years. The high record, as far as known, is 236, which was made about 1888. At that time Stephen V. White and Cyrus Field and some others boomed the stock from below par to that high record point. From the proceeds of this bull stock campaign White, who had failed some time before and was reinstated shortly before, still owing debts, was able to pay his creditors in full.

Ontario and Western and Great Northern also reached new high figures, the latter advancing 9-12 per cent, which brought over 8 points above the previous high record. The former was pushed up a little over 1 point during the early dealings but later eased off with the rest of the list.

Reading and Erie showed the effect of profit taking. The Pacific, St. Paul, Atchafalpa and Rock Island suffered fractionally. In the industrials, the steel stocks and suffered slight losses. The supply in these issues was probably as good as the demand.

Consolidated Gas closed down 1 per cent. Trading in bonds was fairly active. The total sales of stocks were \$75,400 shares and of bonds \$5,834,000.

MAILS LANDED AT DOVER.

First Time American Shipment Has Been Taken There.

DOVER, England, Feb. 9.—The Red Star Line steamer Vandalier, from New York Jan. 30, arrived here at 7 o'clock this morning after having been delayed by fog. Fifteen hundred bags of mail from the steamer were sent to London by special train. This is the first time an American mail has been landed at Dover.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Sales: 1890 Allis Chalmers 16 1/2 16 1/2 + 1/2

220 Allis Ch. pr. 65 64 64

17500 Amal. Cop. 74 73 73 1/2 + 1/2

400 Am. Car. & F. 39 38 38 1/2 + 1/2

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STEAMER SUNK IN FOG; TWO OF CREW DROWNED

The Left Erikssen in Collision with a Standard Oil "Whaleback."

20 MEN ARE RESCUED.

Prow of the Oil Boat, City of Everett, Struck the Other Amidships.

After having collided with and sunk the Norwegian steamer Left Erikssen off Cape Romaine, Fla., in a dense fog on Feb. 4, the Standard Oil Company's steamer City of Everett returned to this port today, bringing twenty of the crew of the sunken steamer.

Two members of the Erikssen's crew were drowned either in the collision or when the crew took to the boats. They were Oscar Osteren, the second engineer, and Johann Johannessen, a seaman.

The City of Everett was bound from New York for Seville Pass for a cargo of oil and sailed from here on Jan. 28.

Capt. Bunting, of the City of Everett, said today that in a heavy fog and fog off Cape Romaine on Feb. 4 the Left Erikssen was seen crossing the bow of the City of Everett. The latter is a whaleback, and has an overhanging cabin-shaped bow, which cut into the Erikssen's hull deeply and ripped her open far below the water line. Several of the bow plates of the City of Everett were stove in.

The whole affair was over in ten minutes. The City of Everett then returned to this port for repairs. The Left Erikssen was bound from Matanzas, Cuba, with a cargo of sugar to Philadelphia. She was owned in Bergen, Norway, and her tonnage was 1,241.

LIFE-SAVERS FAIL TO REACH WRECKED SHIP.

LEWES, Del., Feb. 9.—A barkentine is ashore near the Wachapreague, Va. life-saving station, but apparently in good condition. The crew of the Wachapreague station made an unsuccessful attempt to board the vessel. The life-savers used a self-bailing boat in the effort to get through the high seas that prevail.

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ODELL'S PLAN FOR CITY WATER

Ex-Governor Favors Appointment of State Commission to Conserve Interests and Formulate Distribution Methods.

Former Gov. Odell, at the Fifth Avenue Hotel today, said that under existing laws the city can get all the water it wants. His suggestion that a State Commission be named is in direct opposition to the view of Mayor McEllan that a city commission be appointed to draw up the plans for a new water system as well as distribution.

Mayor McEllan wants to have a commission of three named, one by himself and one each by the Chamber of Commerce and the American Society of Engineers.

"A State Water Commission would conserve the water interests of the State," said the former Governor, "protect the sources of supply and supervise the methods of distribution to cities. In fact, the State could, through such a commission, sell the water to the cities. I would have the State build great aqueducts, and through State supervision make the needed distribution, for which the cities would pay the State."

"Would not that plan delay New York City getting an adequate supply for the immediate future?" was asked. "Not necessarily," answered the former Governor. "New York under existing laws can go almost anywhere for water for temporary use. New York must eventually go to the Adirondacks, 1904 were quoted at 101 5-8.

PEACE TALK HELPS STOCKS IN LONDON.

LONDON, Feb. 9.—Money was in good demand in the market today and supplies were scarcer. Discounts were firmer on the Bank of England buying bar gold.

Operators on the Stock Exchange were largely absorbed by the settlement. The tone was good and a fair amount of fresh business was transacted on the continued rumors of the prospects of peace in the Far East.

Consols hardened owing to the prospects of cheaper money in the near future. Home Rails were buoyant and active on good earnings.

Americans opened dull and rallied irregularly to over parity. New York, Canada and Western were in good demand. Baltimore and Ohio and Philadelphia and Reading were the features. Prices eased somewhat later but closed steady.

Mexicans were bought and rose from 1-2 to 1 point on favorable rumors of the confirmation of the news regarding the pending arrangements.

In foreigners a fair amount of business was transacted. Japanese were wanted and Russians were in demand. Imperial Japanese Government Sixes of 1904 were quoted at 101 5-8.

GO-TO-SCHOOL BILL HITS THEATRES.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ALBANY, Feb. 9.—To compel attendance on school at school, Assemblyman Shanahan introduced today a bill providing that no theatrical manager in Greater New York shall admit his theatre during public school hours any minor under the age of fourteen years, unless such minor is accompanied by an adult person.

TAX BILL HITS RICH DODGERS

Personal Property in This State Owned by Non-Residents Will Be Assessed Under Senate Measure.

(Special to The Evening World.)

ALBANY, Feb. 9.—A bill aimed at wealthy New Yorkers who claim a residence in Connecticut, New Jersey, Rhode Island, or other near-by State for the purpose of evading taxation of personal property, was introduced today by Senator Baze, a former assistant corporation counsel in New York City assigned to the Tax Department.

The bill requires non-residents to file a detailed list of all personal property in this State to be taxed in the tax district where it is located.

As the law now stands, non-residents cannot be taxed on their personal property. The courts have held that residents of other States owning property in New York cannot be taxed, but that the property can.

THE WANAMAKER STORE

Store Closes at 5:30 o'clock.